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October 21, 2003 Communication forwarded to Dr. Kalies attaching patent application and declaration for his review and execution of Declaration.

October 27, 2003 Communication to Omnicare, Inc., that Dr. Kalies received patent documents and Dr. Kalies' willingness to sign pending Omnicare's approval of same.

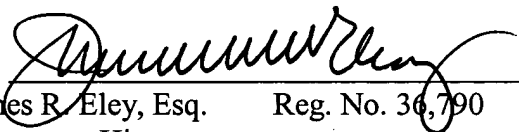
November 7, 2003 Communication to Dr. Kalies regarding Omnicare's approval.

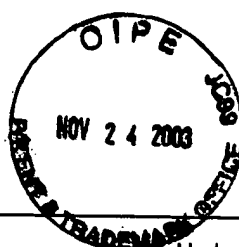
November 19, 2003 Communication from legal assistant to attorney in charge regarding telephone contact in which Dr. Kalies refused to sign the Oath and Declaration.

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Respectfully submitted:

Date: November 24, 2003

By: 
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KALIES, RALPH F.

DOC DATE: 10/14/2002

ASSIGNEE:

OMNICARE, INC.
100 EAST RIVERCENTER BLVD.
1600 RIVERCENTER II
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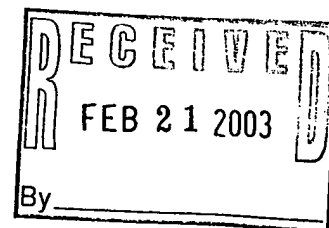
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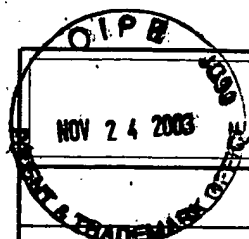
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Assignment of Rights in Invention
(Sole inventor; single assignee)

Docket No.
036806.00393

Inventor	Residence of Inventor
Ralph F. Kalies	5770 Kumbier Road Picket, WI 54964
Assignee	Residence or Principal Place of Business of Assignee
Omnicare, Inc.	1600 Rivercenter II 100 East Rivercenter Blvd. Covington, KY 41011

Whereas, I, the above-identified Inventor, have invented certain new and useful improvements in:
IMPROVED PRESCRIPTION DRUG CO-PAYMENT PLAN Serial No. 60/392,066

(hereinafter referred to as "Invention") for which I am making application for Letters Patent in the United States of America;

And, whereas I desire to assign a 100% undivided interest in said Invention, said application disclosing the Invention and any Letters Patent which may be granted therefor to the above-identified Assignee, and whereas said Assignee is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the same;

Now, this indenture witnesseth, that for the sum of **ONE** *dollars (\$*
1 *), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged;*

I hereby assign, sell and transfer a 100% undivided interest in said invention, said application, including any divisions, continuations, and continuations-in-part thereof, and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States, and countries foreign thereto, which may be granted for said Invention, and in and to any and all priority rights, Convention rights, and other benefits accruing or to accrue to me with respect to the filing of applications for patents or securing of patents in the United States and countries foreign thereto, unto said Assignee;

And I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said United States Letters Patent to said Assignee, as assignee of the whole right, title and interest thereto;

And I further agree to execute all necessary and lawful future documents, including assignments in favor of Assignee, or its designees as Assignee or its Assignees may from time-to-time present to me in order to perfect title in said Invention, modifications, and improvements in said Invention, applications and Letters Patent of the United States and countries foreign thereto;

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Executed this 14 day of Oct, in the year 2002
at Cincinnati


(Signature of Inventor)

State of Ohio

County of Hamilton

Before me personally appeared **Ralph F. Kalies**
who acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be a free act and deed and also represented that he or she is authorized to execute the same this 14th day of October, in the year 2002.



JAMES R. ELEY, Attorney At Law
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF OHIO
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METHOD FOR STORING & REPORTING PHARMACY DATA

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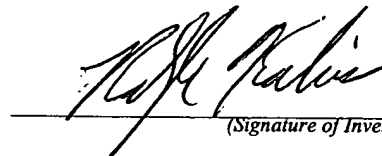
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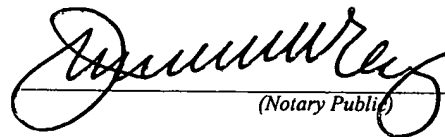

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METHOD FOR PROCESSING AND ORGANIZING PHARMACY DATA

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Pixie I. Ricketts

Picketts, Pixie

From: Picketts, Pixie
Sent: Tuesday, October 21, 2003 4:44 PM
To: 'kalies@attglobal.net'
Cc: Eley, James
Subject: Omnicare 00434

Attached are the specification, drawings, Declaration with Power of Attorney and Assignment form for the "Method for Conducting Prescription Drug Co-Payment Plans". After your review of the specification and drawings, please execute the Declaration with Power of Attorney and Assignment forms, and return them to our office for filing with the patent office. Thank you.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

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Picketts, Pixie

From: Eley, James
Sent: Monday, October 27, 2003 12:33 PM
To: Ludeke, Tom (tludeke@accu-med.com)
Cc: Picketts, Pixie; Forhan, Michael; Young, Rodney
Subject: Kalies' Patent Signatures

Tom,

Dr. Kalies has received the patent paperwork we sent him in connection with 4 pending applications in which he is named as inventor. Today he called and expressed his willingness to sign the needed assignments and declarations but would like some affirmative indication from Omnicare that they still want him to sign them. He expressed some concern that his reviewing the pending applications could be viewed as his meddling in Omnicare's affairs. I advised him that he is already committed to reviewing the applications, assigning them to Omnicare and signing the necessary inventor's declarations.

By return email, please confirm that Omnicare still wishes to have Dr. Kalies review the applications and sign the necessary inventorship paperwork for the files. Thanks.

Jim Eley

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Picketts, Pixie

From: Eley, James
Sent: Friday, November 07, 2003 12:09 PM
T : 'Kalies@attglobal.net'
Cc: Picketts, Pixie; Forhan, Michael
Subject: FW: Kalies and Patent Applications

Ralph,

Here is the email I received from Tom Ludeke this morning. Looks like we are good to go for you to sign the declarations and assignments. Pixie has been on me about filing missing parts to previously filed applications, which includes the declaration paperwork we have sent to you previously.

If you have any questions which forms we need you to sign, contact Pixie at 614-469-3394. Thanks.

Jim

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From: Ludeke, Tom [mailto:TLudeke@accu-med.com]
Sent: Friday, November 07, 2003 9:03 AM
To: Eley, James
Subject: RE: Kalies and Patent Applications

Jim,
It is fine to have Kalies review the applications. Please proceed.
Tom Ludeke

Picketts, Pixie

Fr m: Picketts, Pixie

Sent: Wednesday, November 19, 2003 3:57 PM

T : Eley, James

***Subject:** Kalies

He was there. He wouldn't come to the phone but sent a message through the woman who answered the phone that he felt there was no need for him to sign those things. I asked him to call you.